

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

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The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Original) A civil engineering material comprising 10 to 40% by weight of water on the basis of extrapolation amount added to a mixture, which comprises 0.5 to 10.0% by weight of cement and 90.0 to 99.5% by weight of an aggregate powder including 10 to less than 50% by weight of fine powder with 0.1 mm or smaller in size.

2. (Original) A civil engineering material according to claim 1, wherein one or more types selected from iron oxide, granulated blast slag, steel refining slag and artificial coloring materials, any of which is in granular form, is mixed with the mixture.

3. (Currently Amended) A civil engineering material according to claim 1 ~~or 2~~, wherein seeds of plants and/or fertilizers are mixed with the mixture.

4. (Currently Amended) A construction method of the civil engineering material comprising the steps of;

kneading the civil engineering material described in ~~any of claims 1 to 3~~ claim 1;

curing the material for 8 to 48 hours;

loosening the agglomerates of the hardened material at least once;

and curing again the material by applying a prescribed pressure at a working site.

5. (Currently Amended) A construction method of the civil engineering material comprising the steps of;

kneading the civil engineering material described in ~~any of claims 1 to 3~~claim 1;
curing the material for 8 to 48 hours;
loosening the agglomerates of the hardened material at least once;
loading the material in a frame and curing again the material by applying a prescribed pressure at a working site for forming a container-like formed body; and
digging a hole at a working site and embedding the formed body in the inside of the hole so as to nurture a plant and/or tree in the formed body.

6. (Original) A construction method of the civil engineering material according to claim 5, wherein the container-like formed body is a planter.

7. (Currently Amended) A construction method of the civil engineering material according to claim 5-~~or~~6, wherein the working site is a desert.

8. (New) A civil engineering material according to claim 2, wherein seeds of plants and/or fertilizers are mixed with the mixture.

9. (New) A construction method of the civil engineering material comprising the steps of;

kneading the civil engineering material described in claim 2;
curing the material for 8 to 48 hours;
loosening the agglomerates of the hardened material at least once;
and curing again the material by applying a prescribed pressure at a working site.

10. (New) A construction method of the civil engineering material comprising the steps of;

kneading the civil engineering material described in claim 3;
curing the material for 8 to 48 hours;
loosening the agglomerates of the hardened material at least once;
and curing again the material by applying a prescribed pressure at a working site.

11. (New) A construction method of the civil engineering material comprising the steps of;

kneading the civil engineering material described in claim 2;
curing the material for 8 to 48 hours;
loosening the agglomerates of the hardened material at least once;
loading the material in a frame and curing again the material by applying a prescribed pressure at a working site for forming a container-like formed body; and
digging a hole at a working site and embedding the formed body in the inside of the hole so as to nurture a plant and/or tree in the formed body.

12. (New) A construction method of the civil engineering material comprising the steps of;

kneading the civil engineering material described in claim 3;
curing the material for 8 to 48 hours;
loosening the agglomerates of the hardened material at least once;
loading the material in a frame and curing again the material by applying a prescribed pressure at a working site for forming a container-like formed body; and

digging a hole at a working site and embedding the formed body in the inside of the hole so as to nurture a plant and/or tree in the formed body.

13. (New) A construction method of the civil engineering material according to claim 6, wherein the working site is a desert.